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RESPONSE

S I R:

Applicant hereby requests a two-month extension of the original shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of February 2, 2006. Enclosed is a credit card payment form in the amount of \$ 450 in payment of the government fee for a one-month extension of time.

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In response to the Office action dated February 2, 2006,
please take the following remarks into consideration:

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